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NOTIFICATION

The draft of Amendment rules which the State Government proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 17 of the Sikkim Non-Biodegradable Garbage Control Act, 1997 (7 of 1997) is hereby published as required by that sub-section of that Section of the said Act for information of all person likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft rules would be taken into consideration after expiry of a period of 45 (forty five) days from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the said draft rules before the expiry of the period so specified will be considered by the State Government.

Short title extent and Commencement 1 (1) These rules may be called the Sikkim Non- Biodegradable Garbage (Control)Amendment Rules, 2008.

(2) They shall extend to the whole of Sikkim.

(3) They shall come into force at once.

Amendment of rule 6 2. In the Sikkim Non-Biodegradable Garbage (Control) Rules 2000, for the existing clauses (1), (2) and (3) of rule 6 the following clauses shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1) Bio-degradable in green with the inscription "For Biodegradable waste only".

(2) Non-biodegradable in black with the inscription "For Non-biodegradable waste only" for all kinds of plastics, polyethylene, nylon etc.

(3) Non-biodegradable in blue with inscription "For glass, bottle, metal, wires only" other than plastic, polyethylene, nylon etc.

(4) Bio-Medical/Clinical waste in yellow with inscription "For bio-medical/clinical waste only".

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